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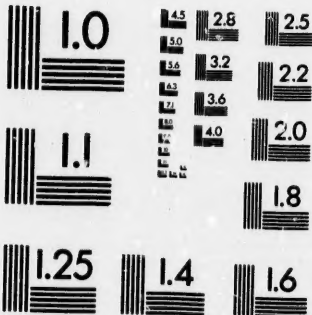
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Hamilton Water Works.

WATER RATES, 12. RULES AND REGULATIONS,

ADOPTED BY

THE WATER COMMISSIONERS

OF THE

CITY OF HAMILTON,

IN RELATION TO THE

INTRODUCTION AND USE OF THE WATER FROM

LAKE ONTARIO.

HAMILTON:

PRINTED BY GILLESPIE & ROBERTSON, COURT HOUSE SQUARE.

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HAMILTON WATER WORKS.

REGULAR RATES.

Residences or Dwelling Houses, occupied by one family, and rented at the undermentioned sums per annum, or at the amount on the Assessment Roll :—

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| \$ 30 per annum and under, | \$ 3 per annum. |
| \$ 40 " " | \$ 4 " |
| \$ 60 " " | \$ 5 " |
| \$ 80 " " | \$ 6 " |
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| \$120 " " | \$ 9 " |
| \$140 " " | \$10 " |
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Houses assessed or rented above \$200 per annum, to be charged the ordinary rate, thirteen dollars, and five cents on the dollar for every dollar of rental exceeding \$200, the Commissioners reserving the right, on application, to make such deduction from such assessment for extra land as would be just and equitable.

Boarding and Lodging Houses.

Same rates as Dwelling Houses, with \$1 per annum for each extra bed.

For each additional family, one-third extra of the above rates will be charged.

EXTRA AND MISCELLANEOUS RATES.

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| Bakeries | \$5 to \$25 per annum. |
| Baths | \$2 each per annum, in Private Families. |
| " | { \$6 " " in Public Houses, Boarding Houses, Barbers' Shops, and Bathing Establishments. |
| Building Purposes. | 6 cents for each 1000 brick. |
| " | 3 cents for each perch of masonry. |
| " | 30 cents for each 100 yards of plastering. |
| Cows | \$1 each per annum. |
| Fountains | Special Rates. |
| Hydrants, Private. | Special Rates. |
| Horse Troughs | \$5 per annum for each trough, which must be made to conform to a pattern to be furnished by the Commissioners. |
| Market Stalls and Stands. | { Each Butcher's Stall, \$3 to \$5 per annum. Each Fruit or Vegetable, or both, \$3 to \$5 " Each Fish Stall, \$3 to 5 " |
| Manufactories. | Special Rates. |
| Offices and Stores .. | \$5 to \$25 per annum, with or without plug or street washers. |
| " | \$3 per annum for each wash basin over one. |
| Printing Offices... | \$10 to \$40 per annum, exclusive of water for steam engines. |
| Stables, Private... | \$3 per annum for each pair of horses and one carriage. |
| " | \$1 per ann. for each extra horse or carriage. |
| " Livery ... | \$2 per annum for each horse for hire. |
| " | 50 cents per annum for each unoccupied stall. |

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Stables, Livery....\$2 per annum for horses standing at livery—
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Market..... 50 cents per annum for each one-horse stall.

Steam Engines Special Rates.

Urinals\$2 per annum for each self-closing.

“\$5 per annum for all others.

Water Closets.\$4 per annum for each.

Hamilton Water Works.

RULES AND REGULATIONS

FOR THE

INTRODUCTION AND MANAGEMENT OF SERVICE PIPES AND THE
PAYMENT OF RATES.

It shall be the duty of all persons who may desire to take the water, to register their names in a book kept for that purpose by the Commissioners; also, fill out and sign a certificate, stating fully and truly, all purposes for which the water is designed to be used; and should an additional use of water be required at any subsequent time, all persons requiring the same must notify the Commissioners in writing, before such use will be allowed.

No owner or tenant will be allowed to supply water to other persons or families, without the consent of the Water Commissioners.

The water rents are to be paid quarterly, in advance, at the Water Commissioners' Office, on the 1st October, 1st January, 1st April, and 1st July.

No addition to, or alteration whatever, in or about any tap, pipe or water cock, shall be made, or caused to be made by any person without permission, first had in writing, from the Water Commissioners.

It will not be permitted to use a hose or jet to wash carriages or horses, unless the same be approved of by the Commissioners, or by a person appointed by them.

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No hydrant will be permitted upon any side-walk, or in any front area, and if standing in a yard, or alley attached to any building, must not be permitted to be left running when not actually required; and if the drip or waste from such hydrant overruns the side-walk, and from freezing becomes dangerous in winter, the supply will be shut off.

No abatement from the above charges will be made, unless the property be reported at the office as vacant, and the supply having been stopped for not less than six months, —the abatement must be made at the office, the Collectors not being authorized to make any deduction from the bills placed in their hands for collection.

No other person but the Superintendent and Engineer, or person employed by the Board, or employed by the said Engineer or Superintendent, will be permitted to tap or make any connection with the main distributing pipes.

Any person who shall, without such authority, tap or bore any main or distributing pipe, is by law liable to a fine and imprisonment, or either, at the discretion of the Court, as in other misdemeanors at common law, or by summary conviction.

Persons taking water must keep their own service pipes and all fixtures connected therewith in good repair, and protected from the frost, at their own expense, and must prevent all unnecessary waste of water.

No addition to, or alteration of any tap, pipe or water cock shall be made except by permission of the Board, and the work, subsequently, approved of by the officer appointed by them.

Hydrants, taps, water closets, baths &c., will not be permitted to be kept running when not in actual use.

Applications for water, must state fully all purposes for which it is required, and parties must answer without concealment all questioning put to them, relating to its consumption.

Yard fountains or jets shall not be used longer than three hours each day, unless specially permitted and on additional payment, and the right is reserved to suspend their use whenever the public exigency may require it.

The Superintendent and Engineer, and other agents of the Board, shall have free access at all reasonable hours to all parts of the premises where the water is delivered and consumed.

[*Adopted July 15th, 1859.*]

JAMES E. DAY,
Secretary.

WATER COMMISSIONERS' OFFICE, }
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